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Navajo Nation Health Command Operations Center reports 104 new COVID-19 cases, and one new death

WINDOW ROCK, Ariz. – On Tuesday, the Navajo Nation Health Command Operations Center (HCOC) confirmed an additional 104 positive cases of COVID-19, bringing the total number to 1,873 positive cases on the Navajo Nation, which includes 886 males, 987 females, and an average age of 46-years old. The total number of deaths is 60, which includes 40 males, 20 females, and an average age of 65-years old. The total number of negative tests are 7,816.

The Navajo Nation COVID-19 cases by county:

- McKinley County (New Mexico): 469
- Navajo County (Arizona): 442
- Apache County (Arizona): 432
- Coconino County (Arizona): 264
- San Juan County (New Mexico): 187
- San Juan County (Utah): 22
- Socorro County (New Mexico): 21
- Sandoval County (New Mexico): 19
- Cibola County (New Mexico): 17

Source: HCOC Situational Awareness by Navajo Epidemiology Center (28 April, 2020).

The HCOC also continues to deliver care packages consisting of household necessities, non-perishable foods, fabric face masks, disinfectant supplies, livestock feed/pet food, and other essential items to elders, high-risk individuals, and families impacted by COVID-19. For more information or to request assistance contact the HCOC at (928) 871-6271.

The HCOC is urging anyone who feels like they might have signs of COVID-19 to contact their healthcare provider. The main coronavirus signs are a dry cough, fever and shortness of breath.

For more general COVID-19 information, visit <https://www.ndoh.navajo-nsn.gov/COVID-19> or call the HCOC Hotline at (928) 871-7014.

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